



***MAYOR'S REPORT
TO THE COUNCIL AND CITIZENS OF GREENCASTLE
PRESENTED: 04 October 2021***

September 11 events: I was so proud of our community as we commemorated the 20th anniversary of the attack on the United States of America. There was great participation with the 9/11 Walk; Fish with a Cop sponsored by Greencastle PD; and our patriotic bluegrass concerts at Jerome R. King Playground, all held that Saturday.

3rd Saturday (Sept. 18) in Greencastle: A great crowd visited our community taking in the downtown and other areas of the community with special sales, vendors, and programs. National Small Business Week was commemorated Sept. 13-18. Shop Small Saturday is just around the corner, however, I encourage all citizens to shop Greencastle always.

Besore Library SWM: Looking good!

Mike Hoover's return from Ireland: I await a report from Mike regarding his recent visit to Greencastle, Ireland. Hopefully, Mike will visit us at a future meeting for a report.

Oct 2 Rescue Hose Company Open House / 125th Anniversary (founded October, 1896): A very educative open house was held this past Saturday at the Company as a new brush truck was dedicated and placed in service. Citizens were actively involved in visiting 15 educational stations where volunteers assisted men, women, and children participating. This is National Fire Prevention Week with the theme being the sounds of safety detectors (smoke and carbon monoxide). Be sure to test them monthly and replace batteries in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations. My prayer is the hundreds of children that attended will still have the same enthusiasm ten years from now, join the Rescue Hose Company and other community organizations and volunteer.

In memory of Logan Starliper.

Respectfully submitted: Ben Thomas, Jr.